

PRESCOTT AREA



WOODTURNERS

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**President's Message**



It is March already - where is the year going? If you attended the February meeting you saw a great demo by Jerry Walters. He had a lot of information for all levels of turners. Our March meeting will be an all-day demo by Michael Mocho. Those of you who saw any of his demos at the AAW National in Phoenix last summer will agree that it should be a great day. One of the

best parts of PAW membership is that there is a great amount of talent in the club. There is always something to learn at our demos, whether they are put on by our club members or by people brought in from the outside. If you do not attend the meetings regularly, please consider attending more of the club meetings. March will be terrific opportunity and Spence is planning another unique demo for April.

By now you know that Ken Fulkerson's battle with cancer is over. Ken passed away in January and his funeral service was February 21. Ken will be missed. He was a great supporter of the club. The sales on the Square will not be the same without him "entertaining" us during the weekend.

*Gary Frank*

## January General Meeting

The first meeting of the year was very well attended. We watched Gary Frank walk us through the steps needed to create a pen. At the completion of the pen, Gary described various other uses for the tubular form, such as shavers, letter openers and seam rippers.

## Also in January



Ken Flinn entered the annual Northern Arizona VA Art Festival held at our local VA

hospital in January. The festival is a three day event for veterans to display their art work. Ken entered two natural edge bowls and to his great surprise (but not ours!) his red eucalyptus won a 1<sup>st</sup> for Woodworking and his box elder won 2<sup>nd</sup> in Best of Show.

## February General Meeting

At this meeting Jerry Walters discussed the various types of figured woods using Power Point. He then demonstrated turning a platter in such a way as to make the best use of the figure in the wood he chose.



The room was set up differently for this meeting, making it possible to use two screens that enlarged the work done on the lathe.



The Instant Gallery is always a highlight of the meeting.

Here Jim Dotseth shows the array of his birdhouse ornaments that will be



displayed at the Prescott Junction Restaurant this month. Remember, this display changes every month. Each member will be contacted at some time during the year and asked to submit a piece for display.

## Also in February

A little over a year ago Rob Raess' dad was undergoing cancer treatments at St. Joseph's Hospital in Phoenix. His dad was at the hospital for most of the day,



giving Rob some time on his hands.

He'd always wanted to see the Japanese Friendship Garden, so he checked it out.

After the first time at the Garden he volunteered, to keep busy and get his mind off of his Dad's serious situation.

He met some Bonsai experts at the Japanese Garden, and showed them some pictures of his wood turnings and

carved Bonsai versions. They were impressed and gave him some names to contact, which he did.

This past fall Rob got an invitation from the Matsuri Festival. This is a Japanese festival which is quite popular in the Phoenix area. The Festival ran Feb 21 & 22 at 7th and Monroe, next to the Phoenix Science Museum. Rob felt it was a good show; he learned a lot and sold a number of his pieces.

## 2015 Meetings and Events

- January 10 Pens Plus Gary Frank
- February 14 Platters Jerry Walters
- **March 14 All Day Demonstration Michael Mocho**
- March 23 -27 } Kiwanis Auction
- March 30- April 3 } Kiwanis Auction
- **April 11 All Day Demonstration Woodworker's Source**
- May 2 Pepper Shakers
- **June 13 All Day Demonstration Kirk Deheer**
- July 11 Bowl Basics
- August 1 Inlay Techniques Ed Jones
- September 12 Off Center Turning John Armstrong
- September ? Empty Bowls
- October 10 Old Fashioned Turning Larry Dorrell
- November 7 Hollow Forms
- December 21 Club Christmas Party

### **March 14 All-Day Demo with Michael Mocho**

Michael Mocho will travel from New Mexico to lead an all-day demonstration on March 14. Mocho has an impressive repertoire, in evidence when he demonstrated at the AAW Symposium last year in Phoenix. Walt Spencer arranged this visit because he said he watched several sessions given by Michael in Phoenix, and none of the demos were repeated.

We can still accept your check for \$25 as a reservation for this extraordinary day. Space will limit seating, and it will *not* be possible to accept payment at the door, so send your check **TODAY!** We need a final count on or before March 11.

## **Kiwanis Auction**

The organizers of the Auction are so eager for donations from PAW that they will pick up our pieces and give us the forms for tax deductions, which we will forward to you. **Plan to bring your item(s) to the March meeting.** Your name should be on the piece, and some printed words of description (including the type(s) of wood used) so that the on-air person knows what to say. Send your things with someone else if you cannot be at the meeting, or bring your piece(s) (prepared as above) to the Old Armory during business hours and pick up tax forms. Kiwanis aims to make this as hassle-free as possible.

## **April 11 All-Day Demo Presented by Woodworker's Source**

We will have another opportunity to learn in April, when Woodworker's Source will come to Prescott. Look for more details later this month.

## **VENDORS WITH CLUB DISCOUNTS:**

**Note: You should show your current Membership Card when asking about a discount. If you don't yet have your card, check with John Armstrong at the next meeting.**

- Craft Supply, 13% on orders of \$1000 or more
- Hartville tools, 10%
- Woodworkers Source, 10%.
- Wood Carvers Supply, 10% over \$400 or \$500
- Rockler, 10%
- Northwoods, 15%
- Woodcraft, 10% (exclusions apply - ask at desk)

## Prescott Area Woodturners Library

<b>DVD's</b>	
<b>Title</b>	<b>Author</b>
Easy Rougher Tool Demo	
Elegant Finials	Cindy Drozda
Fabulous Finial Box 1	Cindy Drozda
Fabulous Finial Box 2	Cindy Drozda
Finial Star	Cindy Drozda
Finishes and Burial Urn	Mike Mahoney
Hand Crafted Pens	Penn State Ind
Heirlooms	Mike Mahoney
Hollow Turning	John Jordan
Jim Dotseth Demo	
Nested Madrone Bowl Set	Mike Mahoney
Pen Turning	Barry Gross
Perfect Peppermill	Paul Chilton
PSI Pen Basics	Penn State Ind.
Segmented Demonstration	Dave Best
Sharpening Demystified	Kirk DeHeer
Surface Design	Binh Pho
Techniques and Projects	Bonnie Kline
The Basic Box	Ray Key
The Skew Chisel	Alan Lancer
Turn It On 1	Jimmy Clewes
Turn It On 2	Jimmy Clewes
Turn It On 3	Jimmy Clewes
Turn It On 3A	Jimmy Clewes

<b>BOOKS</b>	
<b>Title</b>	<b>Author/ Publisher</b>
500 Wood Bowls	Lark Books
Decorative Decoy Carvers	Bruce Burk
Faceplate Turning	Barnes & Noble
Faceplate Turning	Woodturning Magazine
Illustrated Woodturning Techniques	John Hunnex
Lathe and Turning Techniques	Fine Woodworking
Pyrography Workbook	Sue Walters
Sculpting Wood 1	Lindquist
Sculpting Wood 2	Lindquist
Sculpting Wood 3	Lindquist
The Art of The Lathe	Sterling/Chapelle
The Art of The Scroll Saw	Sterling/Chapelle
The Art Of Turned-Wood Bowls	Edward Jacobson
The Complete Book of Woodworking	Barnes & Noble
Turning Techniques & Projects You Can Make	Meredith Books
Useful Woodturning Projects	Woodworking Magazine
Woodturning A source Book Of Shapes	John Hunnex
Woodturning A Foundation Course	Keith Rowley
Woodturning Full Circle 1	David Springett
Woodturning Full Circle 2	David Springett
Woodturning Methods	Mike Darlow
Woodturning Wizardry	David Springett
Turning Wood	Richard Raffan
Creative Wood Turning	Dale Nish

Turn It Up 1	Jimmy Clewes		
Turn It Up 2	Jimmy Clewes		
Two Ways To Make A Bowl	Sewart Batty / Mike Mahoney		
Wolverine Sharpening	Oneway		
Woodturning	Alan Lancer		
Woodturning Vol III	Steven Russel		
The Capsule Box	Ray Key		
American Style Flute	Bill Hughes		
Woodturning Projects Vol. 1	Rex & Kip		
Woodturning Projects Vol. 2	Rex & Kip		

<b>DEMONSTRATION DVD'S</b>	
Oval Vase Lecture	Eddie DeHaan
Sharp As A Tack	Bob Carter
Natural Edge Bowl & Platter	Mike Mahoney
Getting The Scoop	Joe Wagner
Travel Mug	Steve Howe
Square Edge Bowl	Kirk DeHeer
Beautiful Boxes	John Kartchner
Simple Spindles	Dave Best
Techniques in Segmenting	Lynn Jacobson
Box Finials	Dave Bouwhuis
Band Saw Bowl, Checkered Form, Segmented Ring	Malcolm Tibbetts
Tips, Tricks & Feature Rings	Malcolm Tibbetts
Techniques: Exploring Possibilities	Malcolm Tibbetts
Functional Projects	Malcolm Tibbetts
More Functional Projects	Malcolm Tibbetts
Special Boxes	Malcolm Tibbetts
Dyed Vessels	Chris Pytlik
Fundamentals of Sharpening	AAW
What Do I Do With that	Lane Phillips